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SUBJECT:

Incorporation of Evaluations of CIA Information Reports Into CIA Library Reference File

REPKEENCE:

AD/OCD memo of 28 December 1949, same subject

- OSI does not concur in the revised procedure for handling evaluations of reports in the OCD library as proposed in reference menorandum.
- Specifically, it is believed that while it would be desirable to provide evaluations with reports loaned from the library, the additional work load involved in the evaluating offices as well as the library, overbalances this desirability under present evaluating procodures.
- Rather than make the minor revision in procedure as propesed, it is recommended that the entire evaluating procedure be reviewed exhaustively with emphasis on two major points:
 - To differentiate clearly between
 - Evaluation of the reliability of the source

The accuracy of the information

The usefulness or importance of the information, and The extent to which the information satisfies outstanding requirements, and

To provide these evaluations as appropriate to the user

of the report on the one hand, or the collector of the information on the other.

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